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Young Artists Aid Fire Prevention, Win Prizes, Ride On Fire Engines

By Joan Dickerson

This is Fire Prevention Week! An eager and conscientious group of children from Center, North End, and St. Hugh's schools are reminding us all how we can reduce the waste caused by preventable fires. Prize-winning posters in a contest sponsored by the fire department can be viewed in the windows of the drug, variety, and food stores. They are excellent and picture most vividly such fire hazards in the home as overloading the circuits, smoking in bed, leaving matches where small children can play with them, and leaving oily rags where they could cause combustion. Lets observe these excellent posters and learn from them.

All the children who participated in the poster contest got one of the thrills of their young lives Tuesday and Wednesday riding on the fire engine. It was an exciting experience for the children.

Fire Chief Paul Williams presented the awards to winners in the contest. First prize was a pencil with "Sparky" on it, second prize a "Sparky" fire helmet, and runners up received a "Sparky" emblem. Chief Williams remarked that the children are doing a fine job helping to emphasize the need for greater personal fire safety.

A home fire-inspection blank has been distributed to every child to check with his parents. If the inspection is carried out thoroughly our homes should be much safer.

Remember the Fire Prevention Week slogan - 'Don't Give Fire a Place to Start!'

Winners of the poster contest at the Center school in the first and second grades were: Jeffrey Rosen, "Sparky" pencil; Neil Danish, "Sparky" helmet; Florence Taylor and Faye Copeland, "Sparky" emblem; in the third and fourth grades: Beatrice York, pencil; Nancy Lee Hurder, helmet; Ronnie Teeter, Nancy Lawson, Suzanne Pye, Barbara Feller, and Donald Ritchie, emblem; fifth and sixth grades, Buddy Reid, pencil; Janet Fleharty, helmet; Dixie Merryman, Barbara Brubaker, Rosemary Siegel, John Bridge, and Martin Walden, emblem.

Winners at North End school in the third and fourth grades were Jane Beale, pencil; Todd Leasia, helmet; Judith Bragonje and Sophie Abramovitz, emblem; fifth and sixth grades, Gregory Vella and Kathy McGee, pencil; Diana Leasia and Eppie Loane, helmet; Carol Ann Hoff, Lloyd Clarke, Patty Barrick, Heidi Gardner, Wayne Mikesell, Ronald LeNeave, Judith Dalton, and Basil Martin, emblem.

Winners at St. Hugh's school in the first and second grades were Anne Smith, pencil; Linda Kerr, helmet; William Morris, Brian Gallagher, and Cecilia Battenfold, emblem; third and fourth grades, Jeanne Arlotta, pencil; Michael Kerr, helmet; Nancy Haslinger and Mary Morris, emblem; fifth and sixth grades, Robert Brady, pencil; Carol McLaughlin, helmet; Maureen Sharpe, Edward Mason, and Marilyn Morris, emblem.

Ed Kaighn Appointed "Acting Postmaster"

Edward C. Kaighn was appointed acting postmaster of the Greenbelt Post Office effective October 1. He is a long time resident of Greenbelt, having lived here since 1939. A past commander of the local American Legion post, he was also a former director of Greenbelt Consumer Services and for the past eight years he has been chairman of the supervisory committee of the Greenbelt Credit Union.

Although Kaighn is at present "acting" postmaster, he told the News Review he expects his status to change to Postmaster once he fulfills the requirements of the position (which are, to pass the postmaster examination and be confirmed by the United States Senate). New to the Greenbelt office, he is not new to the Post Office Department where he has been employed since 1939 in the Bureau of Transportation.

Kaighn lives with his wife at 8-A Southway. He has two married daughters, and a son who lives in New Jersey where he is employed.

Woman's Club Honors Fifteen New Members

Members of the Greenbelt Woman's Club opened the fall season with a tea Sunday afternoon honoring fifteen new members of the group. Hostess was Mrs. J. W. Brubaker, club president, whose home at 6-R Ridge was decorated with fall flowers. Co-hostesses were Mrs. Lawrence Mott, Mrs. R. I. Finlay and Miss Elizabeth Goetze, and assisting with the refreshments were Mrs. James McCarl, Mrs. Henley M. Goode, Mrs. Don Romer, Mrs. Leland Love, and Mrs. Herbert Hall, who was celebrating her seventy-fifth birthday. A surprise shower of handkerchiefs was presented to Mrs. Hall by the club members, along with a big purple orchid.

Honor guests were Betty Almodovar, Pearl Ellerlin, Mary Henry, Jean Johnston, Pearl Knickelbein, Joan Dickerson, Angela McKinzie, Iris Moody, Margaret Slaymaker, Aleen Wells, Jean White, Emily Ward, Marie Kistler, Dora White, and Jean Schneider.

What Goes On

Friday, October 14 - GCS Board meets at Wheaton store, 8 p.m.

GVHC Board meets at Hamilton Place, 8 p.m.

Saturday, October 15 - Community Church Afternoon Guild Fall Plant sale at the Center, 10 a.m.

Sunday, October 16 - JCC Sunday School classes begin at JCC Building.

St. Hugh's Teen Club Harvest Dance, 8-11 p.m.

Tuesday, October 18 - Hi-Point PTA meets at High School, 8 p.m.

Wednesday, October 19 - Joint meeting of Kindergarten and Nursery School, Center School, 8:30 p.m.

Thursday, October 20 - "Martin Luther," film, 7:30 p.m., Center School.

Monday, October 24 - City Council meets, 8 p.m., City office.

Second Anniversary For Baptist Chapel

The Greenbelt Baptist Chapel will observe its second anniversary with a banquet on Friday evening, October 14, and special services on Sunday.

The anniversary banquet will be held at the sponsoring church, Metropolitan Baptist Church of Washington, D. C. Rev. James Duncan, pastor of the Hillandale Baptist Church, will be the guest speaker. The program, under the direction of a committee led by Reginald C. Danahy, will include group singing and an entertainment skit.

Charles V. Koons, Washington attorney, will be guest speaker in the morning worship service in the Center School auditorium. Mr. Koons is a deacon of Metropolitan Baptist Church and outstanding layman.

Members of the Greenbelt Baptist Chapel met for their first service in the Greenbelt Theatre on October 18, 1953. Since then they have met in the Center school. Dr. William J. Crowder, director of missions and evangelism for the D. C. Baptist Convention, was the first pastor. Rev. Glenn W. Samuelson became the first full-time pastor on February 1, 1955.

The Chapel is negotiating to purchase four acres of property on Crescent and Hillside extended.

Time To "Guild" Lily At Fall Plant Sale

The shopping center will be the scene next Saturday, October 15, of the annual fall plant sale by the Afternoon Guild of Community Church. Beginning at 10 a.m., women of the Guild will offer a large variety of potted plants for winter bloom indoors, as well as perennials for immediate outdoor planting before frost.

Proceeds of the sale will be used for the Guild's welfare activities, which include the District Training School and the boys' school at Cheltenham.

Boys Village Super Talks On School

Lawson Veney, superintendent of the Boys Village at Cheltenham, Md., will tell the story of the school at a meeting of the United Church Women of Upper Prince Georges County at 8 p.m. Monday, October 17. The meeting will be held at the First Baptist Church, 42nd and Longfellow Sts., in Hyattsville.

The public is invited to hear the superintendent's talk and songs by members of the Boys Village choir.

City To Borrow Money For Survey Of Sewage Disposal Plant Facility

By Isadore Parker

City Manager Charles McDonald was authorized by the city council to make an application for a loan from the Housing and Home Finance Agency, under the Community Facilities Act, for the purpose of financing an engineering survey of the sewage disposal plant. McDonald will first determine the cost of such a survey and apply for a loan of that amount.

North End PTA Plans Variety Show Friday

A gala and exciting evening is promised those attending the fourth annual PTA variety show, Friday, October 14 at 8 p.m. in the North End School auditorium. Mrs. Ann Hoff and Mrs. Betty Coleman have collected some of the best talent in Greenbelt and the area, including Martin Berkofsky and Nancy Kurth.

This variety show is eagerly anticipated each year because of the caliber of the entertainment. It also serves as the chief money-raising activity for the North End PTA. Make it a family night. Tickets may be purchased at the door.

Nursery, Kindergarten To Meet, Join Forces

The Greenbelt Cooperative Nursery School and Kindergarten join forces Wednesday, October 19. The two organizations will meet at 8:30 p.m. at the Center school auditorium to see and discuss the film "Preface to a Life." There will be opportunity to meet with and talk to the teachers. Before the film, to be shown at 9 p.m., each organization will meet separately for a brief business meeting.

TEEN DANCE

St. Hugh's Teen Club will hold a Harvest Moon dance, Sunday, October 16, from 8 to 11 p.m. in the new dance hall. Dress will be informal.

Exclusive

Tugwell To Become Greenbelt Resident

Rex Tugwell, originator of the "green towns" built in the nation during the "New Deal" days, plans to become a resident of Greenbelt in the near future, it was revealed last night. Tugwell has retired from the faculty of the University of Chicago and has put a \$100 deposit on a home in the Woodland Hills development, it was disclosed by Tony Madden, president of the housing group.

According to Madden and James Cassels, representative of the Foundation for Cooperative Housing, Tugwell plans to retire to this area to conduct research and writing. The Greenbelt area is close to the Library of Congress, the home is well suited to his family needs, and he looks forward to living in a cooperative-minded community, Tugwell stated.

Besides his wife, Grace, Tugwell has two sons, Tyler and Franklin. They are 13 and 11 years old. Another son is married and lives elsewhere. Tugwell was Assistant Secretary of Agriculture, Administrator of the Resettlement Administration, and Governor of Puerto Rico, and held other offices in the federal government.

The Woodland Hills development is planning 6- and 9-room houses on the north side of Crescent opposite the lake and Catholic Church. The homes will be built cooperatively, and eventually be given private title. Three plans are available: (1) Member may purchase lot and pay for own improvement share, and build no home; (2) Member may purchase lot and pay for own improvement share and build own home at his leisure; and (3) Member may buy lot, improvements and home in one package deal, financed by the government.

Questions may be asked and blue-prints of homes and development examined by calling one of the board members - Tony Madden, 4111; Mike Burchick, 5416; Martin Haker, 9256; James Bates, 8431; and James Cassels, 9516.

As explained by Robert Hurst, councilman who proposed the idea, the Community Facilities Act permits loans up to \$10,000 from the federal government for engineering surveys, without interest. If actual work is done, cost of the work must provide for repayment of the loan; if no work is done, the money need not be repaid, Hurst revealed. The real intent of the act is to provide a backlog of a public works program in case of economic recession in the nation. Work can begin without delay of preliminary engineering work, if the program is successful.

The survey will determine the capacity of our present disposal plant, the cost of future expansion, and the size needed to accommodate future development. McDonald estimated the survey to cost about \$8000 and should be completed in three months from the time of application.

Bus Etiquette Hi-Lite As Hi-Point PTA Meets

A covered dish supper and a panel discussion on school-bus etiquette will highlight the October meeting of the High Point High School PTA on Tuesday, October 18, in the school cafeteria.

The supper, to be given by the PTA members for the faculty, will start at 6:30 p.m. The business meeting, following the supper, will start at 8 p.m. and participating in the discussion will be John Heim, transportation supervisor for the board of education of Prince Georges county; Fred Birdseye, Greenbelt school bus driver; Mrs. William Kriemelmeyer, Takoma Park, and Ralph Dwyer, Hollywood, speaking for the parents; and Wesley Truitt and Dana Perlzweig, representing the students. After the formal discussion there will be a question and answer period for the benefit of the parents and teachers.

Mrs. James Inman, Beltsville, hospitality chairman of the PTA, will be in charge of the supper arrangements. Ellery Denison, of Takoma Park, PTA president, will preside at the business meeting.

11 Hearts, Diamond Thrills Teacher

Thirty-two of the most brilliant local strategists matched techniques last Friday when the Greenbelt Duplicate Bridge Club got off to a highly competitive start.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Anderson demonstrated championship calibre by taking first-place honors over the North-South participants. Second place was earned by Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lushine, with the Bob Zusts and Jim Bates-Larban Wells pair battling to a 3rd place tie.

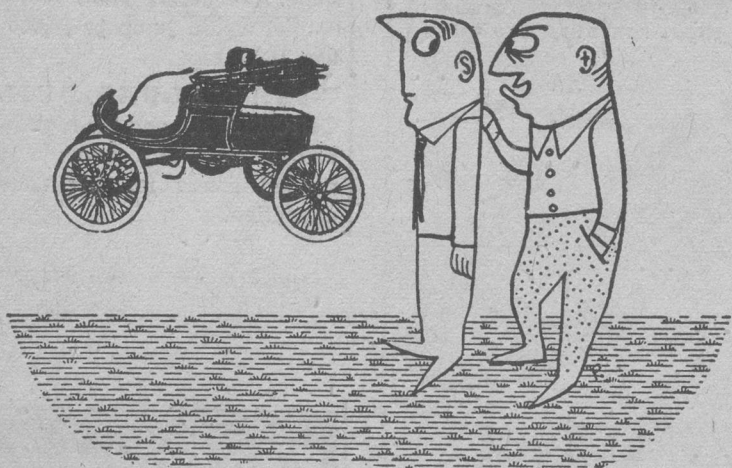
The East-West battle was nip and tuck until the very last hand when Dale Frese and George Kaufman gained a sensational top score to win first place by one point over Mr. and Mrs. Larry Fink. Ethel Fisher and Fran Miller finished third, followed by Mr. and Mrs. Sid Rubin to round out the above-average players.

Mrs. Genevieve Gerrits, Center school teacher, was thrilled when her turn came to play the most unusual hand of the evening. It contained 11 top hearts, a singleton club and a singleton diamond. Partner had Ace and King of Diamonds but no hearts. Incidentally, how would you bid such a hand?

Next game: Friday evening, November 4.

GIRLS WANTED

The JCC is forming a club of fifth- and sixth-grade girls to meet Monday evenings at 7 p.m. Girls interested are invited to the next meeting, October 17, at the JCC building.



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City Council Notes

Councilmen will consider a proposal to advertise ordinances, resolutions, hearings, elections, and other municipal matters in the News Review. The proposal was made by Helen Dondy for the News Review and received the endorsement of councilmen Jim Smith, Alan Kistler and Bob Hurst. Kistler disclosed that council rules require that ordinances be published in the "local newspaper." Evidently, this rule has been ignored for quite some time.

Lights will be put up on Hamilton Place, the road leading to GVHC offices. It's dark there now, and since the offices are open evenings for rent collections and special events, the council felt the light installation was needed. Cost to the city: about 27 bucks a year, for installation, maintenance and power.

City manager Charles McDonald will consult with Vincent Caruso of the Greenbelt Band to solve a space problem for band-instrument students. The over-crowded Community Building is scheduled to the hilt, Mac says. He frowned on the practice of giving space for private lessons. Smith declared that the instruction is for future members of the band, an organization that the city has spent a great deal of money for, and urged McDonald to grant the space.

"Pop" Bell asked the council to cooperate with the Izaak Walton League to rejuvenate the lake. Mosquitoes are the problem now: drain the lake, use chemicals to kill the weeds, and raise the level of the spillway two feet, Bell recommended. Also: tear down, or rebuild the "pavilion."

Smith asked the council to make haste in accepting the \$1000 offered by the defunct Greenbelt Health Association for the purchase of polio serum. McDonald said the local doctors do not appear anxious to administer the shots to children without payment for their services. He urged waiting until the entire Salk serum program is defined more clearly in the near future before any action is taken.

PLANT SALE

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Paul Campbell asked council to approve diagonal parking on Gardenway near the Medical center. Also on Ridge, if acceptable. McDonald will do so (on Gardenway, not on Ridge where traffic is heavy). Speaking of traffic, Hurst demanded that the police crack down on speeders. "Let's maintain our reputation as a tough town for speeders," he said.

The city will accept Lakeside road as part of the city road system as soon as it is dedicated.

Seating arrangement was discussed, with Smith proposing the council face each other around the table... a kind of "theater in the round arrangement" (Kistler) may be made in the future. Incidentally, seating arrangement was one of the main topics discussed at the city managers conference in New Hampshire which McDonald attended, he disclosed. They favored facing each other.

William Hoff and Helen Chasanow were elected by city council to fill two vacancies on the Youth Center Advisory Board. (Hot tip - watch for tremendous news on youth center building in near future.)

McDonald asked approval to spend \$2200 for flat-bed trailer that carries tractor. Money to come from \$5000 set aside for replacement of fire department equipment. (No more city fire department, no replace nothing...)

Policy matters regarding next year's budget will be considered and discussed by the city council before the proposed budget is presented. The decision to formulate policies was among one of several proposed by council members in preparation for the yearly wrestling-match with the city's fiscal problems.

Chief matter was presentation of the budget in an understandable manner, so that "citizens can be more satisfied with the way we manage our fiscal affairs." (Hurst) Pie graphs and charts were recommended as adjuncts to the budget form.

'Martin Luther' Film Shown By Churches

"Martin Luther", acclaimed as one of the best religious motion pictures, will be shown at the Center school Thursday, October 20 at 7:30 p.m. Doors to the auditorium will open at 7.

The film is brought to Greenbelt by local Protestant churches and the World Home Bible League. The public is welcome. A free-will offering will be taken.

Methodist Church

Meeting at 40 Ridge Road
Stanley F. Knock, Jr., Minister
42-L Ridge Road - Phone 9410

Saturday, October 15 - 8 p.m.,
Young Adult Recreation; Mr. and Mrs. Beck as host and hostess.

Sunday, October 16 - 9:30 p.m.,
Church School. 11 a.m., Laymen's Sunday, program arranged by the Methodist Men. Several laymen will speak. Nursery is provided during this service. 7:30 p.m., Family Fellowship Hour. Laymen's Day program.

Monday, October 17 - 8 p.m.,
Methodist Men meet.

Tuesday, October 18 - 8 p.m.,
Adult membership class.

Thursday, October 20 - 10 a.m.,
Trip to New Windsor, Maryland, Brethren Service Center. 3:45 p.m., Brownie Troop No. 109 meets. 7 p.m., Junior Choir. 8 p.m., Adult Choir.

Catholic Church

(Copy missing this week, due to illness of Gerry Backstrom. The newspaper staff wish her a speedy recovery.)

Women Voters Meet

The Greenbelt unit of the Prince Georges County League of Women Voters will meet Thursday, October 20, at 8:15 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Theron Tompkins, 4-C Hillside. Topic for discussion will be the needs of the county public health program.

"Hi, Neighbor Sunday"

The members of the Greenbelt Lutheran Church will observe "Hi, Neighbor Sunday" next Sunday, October 16. Every member of the congregation has been urged to bring a friend or neighbor to the 11 o'clock service.

The Lydia Guild will serve coffee and doughnuts during the social hour which will follow the Mission Sunday service. For those who have children four years old or under, a nursery room will be maintained by the Guild members. Every Greenbelter is invited to attend.

To the Editor:

Through the medium of the GREENBELT NEWS REVIEW I want to express my appreciation to all who voted in the recent councilmanic election. The percentage turnout of registered voters was gratifying to anyone who believes that a participating electorate is an essential of a strong democracy.

During the pre-election period, I promised to examine town problems with the objectivity that comes from the absence of prior commitments and past positions. That promise will be kept.

It is my hope that all who supported me, and those who did not, will find my services satisfactory. If any action of mine, as a councilman, proves disappointing to anyone, I hope that person will make the fact known to me without delay... the surest way of keeping a representative responsive is to keep him informed.

Alan Kistler

Community Church

Ministers

Eric T. Braund, Robert C. Hull
Phone GRanite 3-5846

Saturday, October 15: 3-9 p.m.,
Junior High picnic at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Mott, Research Center.

Sunday, October 16: Morning
Worship at 9 and 11 a.m. with Mr. Braund preaching, "Skyhooks and Dreams." Church School as follows: 9 and 11 a.m., Nursery, Kindergarten, Primary; 10 a.m., Juniors, Junior High, College Age, Adults. 5:30 p.m., Deacons Calling Committee. 6-8 p.m., Junior High Fellowship, Fellowship Center. 7-8:30, Sr. Hi Pilgrim Fellowship, Social Hall.

Monday, October 17: 8 p.m.,
Missionary Group, home of Mrs. Birchard, 1-H Northway.

Tuesday, October 18: 4:15-5 p.m.,
Treble Choir.

Wednesday, October 19: 8 p.m.,
Chancel Choir.

Thursday, October 20: 4-4:45 p.m.,
St. Cecilia Choir. 7:30, Film, "Martin Luther" at Center school.

Sunday, October 16: Members of the Pilgrim Fellowship (Senior High) will present their project "Work Day for Christ" at both the 9 and 11 a.m. Services, the speakers being at 9 Sondra Hufendick and Mike Stripling, and at 11 Stanley Edwards, Jr. and Gail Stewart.

Monday, October 17: 6, Dinner
for United Churchmen at Sheraton-Park Hotel.

Lutheran Church

Edward H. Birner, Pastor

Phone: GRanite 3-2553

Friday, October 14: 8 p.m.,
Senior Choir rehearsal at 46-C Crescent.

Saturday, October 15: 1 p.m.,
Sunday School Choir rehearsal at the church.

Sunday, October 16: 9:45 a.m.,
Sunday School and adult Bible Class. Classes are held for each age group. Raymond Carriere, superintendent. 8:30 and 11 a.m., Church Services. Sermon by Pastor Birner. Nursery is maintained. A social hour will follow the 11 a.m. service.

Wednesday, October 19: 8 p.m.,
St. Andrew's Society meets.

Hebrew Services

Candlelighting time: 5:07 p.m.
Friday night services, 8 p.m. Saturday morning, 9 a.m., Mr. and Mrs. Hy Gerson extend an invitation to all to attend Bar Mitzvah (confirmation) services for their son Paul at the JCC building. Kiddush will follow.



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Thursday, October 13, 7:30-8:30 p.m.,
Midweek Service at the Parsonage. Hymn sing, prayer, study in "Church Using Its Sunday School." 8:30 p.m., Sunday School Enlargement Committee meeting.

Friday, October 14, 6:45 p.m.,
"Second Anniversary Banquet" at the Metropolitan Baptist Church, Washington, D. C. Cars will leave the Parsonage at 6 p.m.

Sunday, October 16 - "Second Anniversary Sunday" - 9:45 a.m.,
Sunday School, Classes for all ages. John S. Stewart, Jr., superintendent. Nursery at four Sunday services for babies and toddlers. "Give a Lot" banks will be distributed. 11 a.m., Morning worship service in the auditorium. Cherub Choir will sing "In God's House" led by Mrs. James T. McCarl. The Chapel Choir will also sing, Mrs. John J. Oleksak, director. Charles V. Koons from Metropolitan Baptist Church will be the guest speaker. 6 p.m., Training Union for all ages. Roy C. Thomas, Director. 7 p.m., Evening worship service. Informal hymn singing led by Dr. James T. McCarl. Pastor's message will be "The Past Two Years and the Years Ahead."

Monday, October 17 through Friday, October 21 - 7:30 to 9 p.m.,
Sunday School Leadership Training School at Metropolitan Baptist Church. Cars will leave the Parsonage at 7 p.m. each evening.

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CLASSIFIED The Long View

By A. C. Long

The GVHC Board recently held a joint meeting with the city council on that most interesting of all subjects: sewer and water.

Greenbelt is unique in that we use more water per capita than any other town in the country. Now, while this surprising fact might be pleasing to the prohibitionists, it is most disturbing to the city fathers. Also, it seems that the more water we consume the more sewerage we use. So, it would make the officials happier if we got off our liquid diet, and went on some other kind of a binge than a H2O binge.

Faucet-Happy

No politician wants to come right out and suggest we bathe only once a week and build some old-fashioned "Chic Sales," but they do think we are "faucet happy." City Manager McDonald gets quite stirred up when he talks about drips. Some of the GVHC Board were getting resentful until they realized he meant no reference to any particular drip on the Board, merely water-drips in general.

There was no full agreement on what to do about it. Someone suggested that we might spy on our neighbors and bawl them out for too much W.C. flushing or bathing. We might get the schools to give a prize to the dirtiest-faced little bra . . . I mean, angel in the class. When you send the kids to bed at night, change your usual instructions and just shout out: "Don't take a bath. Say your prayers and go to bed."

Don't be surprised if the sign of a good citizen is to be smelly, dirty and beery. My campaign slogan for the next election will be: "I rarely use water."

And—don't be a drip, watch those leaks!

One of my good Greenbelt friends and neighbors occasionally gives one of her little boys a homemade haircut. She thought she was almost professional because she's been doing it for some time. She was somewhat taken aback the other day, however. It seems her little boy accompanied another lad to the barber shop. The barber looked him over quizzically and then said, "Here, sonny, jump up in the chair and I'll fix up that homemade haircut. I wouldn't want people to see you coming out of here like that. They might think I gave it to you."

FIRE WARNING

Hallowe'en is recognized as a day of danger unless safety precautions are taken, Dr. Thomas Englar, County Health Officer warns. If not, flammable costumes and candles in jack o'lanterns give fire an added chance to claim young victims.

Flameproofing all costumes made of loosely woven fabric is one of the most necessary safety measures, the National Board of Fire Underwriters emphasizes. Dip the costume in a solution of 9 oz. of borax and 4 oz. of boric acid to a gallon of water. Wring by hand; hang to dry. Ironing does not affect the flame-resistance, but the treatment must be repeated after each laundering.

Polio Vaccinations

Poliomyelitis vaccination programs in health department clinics will resume October 31, it was announced today by Dr. Edward Davens, chief of the Bureau of Preventive Medicine, State Health Department, and Dr. Huntington Williams, Commissioner of Health of Baltimore City. County health officers and the Baltimore City health director will make individual announcements of exact program time in their respective areas.

Children eligible to receive vaccine in Maryland at the present are those between five and nine years of age, inclusive.

Health departments will provide free vaccine to those children to whom they would normally provide health supervision. Health departments will also give vaccine, without charge, to those children already registered in the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis program who did not receive their first dose last spring. Children who are to receive their inoculations in the school clinics will be asked to submit a new request from signed by the parent. There will be no general health department program to inoculate all school children.

A majority of children in the eligible group will probably receive their injections from private physicians, which is now the case with diphtheria toxoid and other immunizing procedures.

National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis will provide free vaccine for second doses of all public, private, and parochial school pupils who received their first dose in the first and second grade in April or May, 1955. It will not provide vaccine for any other children.

Three doses of the polio vaccine will be given. There will be an interval of at least one month between first and second inoculations, followed by a third, or booster, dose some months later.

Because of overall vaccine shortage and necessity for equitable distribution, physicians and parents are urged not to arrange for inoculation of children other than those in the first-priority group. When the priority group is expanded, public announcement will be made promptly, health officials said.

By next spring adequate amounts of polio vaccine are expected to be available so persons of any age may receive it.



Marian Hatton - 3251

Elaine Skolnik - 7586

Visiting the Harry Zubkoffs, 17-H Ridge, this week are Jeanette's sister and brother-in-law, Betty and Marvin Saffer and their two children of Brooklyn, New York.

Congratulations to Betty Miller, 21-N Ridge, who won a beautiful Swiss doll in the Jack Frost contest. Betty recently celebrated her 12th birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Seibel and daughter Karen of Fairlawn, New Jersey are houseguests of the Alfred Skolniks.

Hamburgers and potato chips were gobbled down by the tiny tots attending Naomi Jo Perelzweig's fourth birthday party last Friday.

Some former Greenbelters attending the Methodist Church Consecration on Sunday were Phil and Vivian June, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Barrick, and Rev. and

Mrs. Cook. Rev. Cook was one of the first pastors of the church.

Brownie Troop 310, led by Mrs. King and Mrs. Thiebeau, took a tour of Goodwill Industries last Friday evening. The girls, impressed by their visit, saw how the handicapped worked.

Happy birthday to Marsha Parker who celebrated her tenth birthday on Thursday, October 13.

Camp Fire Girls Recruits Wanted

A new Camp Fire Girls group is being formed by Mrs. Sari Shiren of 8-D Hillside. Anyone interested should contact her at 8761. "The purpose of the program is to perpetuate the spiritual ideals of the home and to stimulate and aid in the formation of habits making for health and character. It combines fun, friendship and high ideals for girls between the ages of seven and eighteen," Mrs. Shiren stated.

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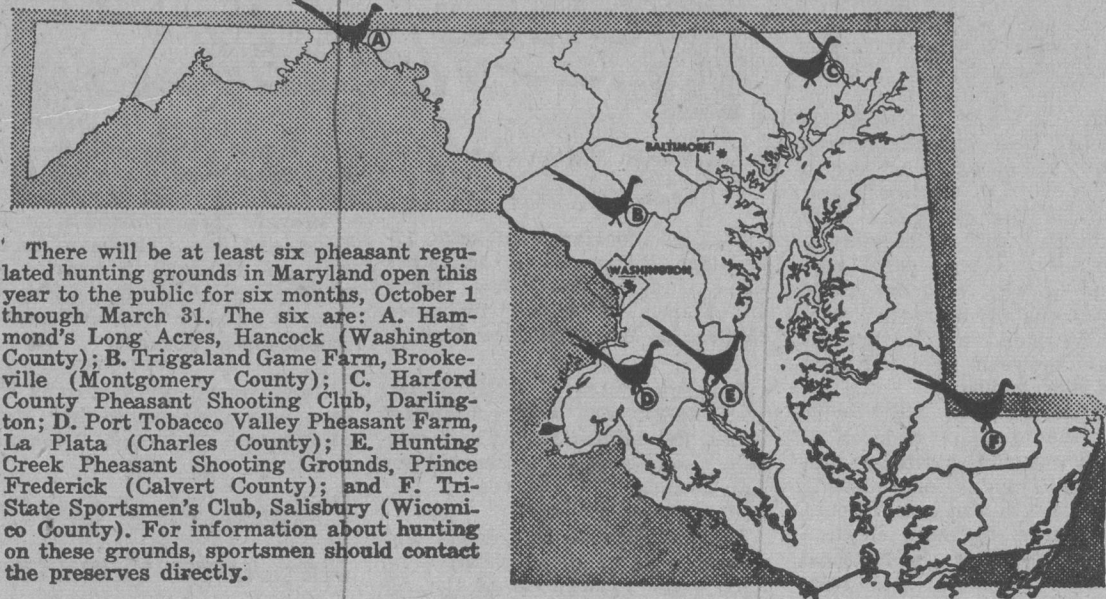
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Cub Pack 202 Meets; Awards Merit Badges

The first monthly pack meeting of Cub Pack 202 was held Friday, October 7, at Fellowship Center. Skits were performed complete with striking and authentic costumes which carried out the "Robin Hood" theme for the month. Bobcats James Porter, Darril Smith, Alan Vaughn and Timmie Moore were accepted into the pack in a candlelight ceremony conducted by cubmaster Dalbow, and Tommy Arensdorf was received into Scout Troop 202 by scoutmaster Walden.

Den 6 won the award flag. Other awards were: Wolf badge - Richard Wilson, Paul Miller, Stephen Wimberly. Bear badge - David Volk, Ed Derby; Lion badge - Ed Mason. Denner - Stephen Wimberly, Ken Powell, Barry Rubin, Larry LeForet; assistant Denner - Chris Moody, George Cline-dinst, Gregg Stewart, Bill Beebe. Silver arrows - Bobby Green (2), Richard Wilson (2), Ed Mason, Paul Miller, Ed Derby (2), Jeffrey Chapman, Gerald Hoffman (2), David Hurst (2). Gold arrows - Ed Mason, Ed Derby, Paul Miller, Stephen Wimberly, Barton Marshall, Richard Wilson and Bill Beebe.

3d Annual UN Day Celebrated Sunday

The third annual United Nations Day celebration will be held this year at the College Park municipal building, Sunday, October 16, at 2:30 p.m. More than 40 organizations in Prince Georges county have pledged their support.

The 30-minute ceremony will include a procession to the campus of Maryland University by the Pershing Rifle Color Guard. The College Park UN Day committee will present a 5 x 9½ foot United Nations flag to the university, to be raised alongside the matching U. S. flag on campus by the AFROTC cadets.

Dr. A. C. Kuhn, assistant to the President, will receive the flag. Commander of the Maryland American Legion David L. Brigham, (also university executive alumni secretary) will give a short address, followed by a toast to the UN by Don Dimetriade, president of the International Club.

Mayor C. R. Davis will preside. Music will be provided by the Interfaith Choir, composed of members from the Lakeland Methodist and Baptist churches, Holy Redeemer church at Berwyn, and the Hillel Foundation campus.

Latter Day Saints Fall Bazaar Friday

Women members of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints are helping to make handmade articles to be sold at a bazaar Friday, October 14, from 6:30 to 9 p.m. Children's clothes, toys, doll clothes, foods, plants and other items will be available.

The bazaar will be held at the church, located at 2715 - 22nd St., N.E., near 18th and Rhone Island Ave.

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Women Voters Survey County Health Needs

The Public Health Study Committee of the League of Women Voters has released a survey of the Prince Georges County Health Department. This survey compares the actual 1955-56 county health budget with minimum standards established by the Maryland General Assembly Subcommittee set up in 1953 to review the financing of Maryland health activities. Projecting the recommendations of the subcommittee on an estimated county population of 283,000, the League finds that to meet these minimum standards the Health Department budget should provide for 58 public health nurses as against the 26 presently authorized. This is equivalent to one nurse for every 12,300 persons as compared with the recommendation of one for every 5,000 population. There should be at least four members on the medical staff as against only one in the present budget. Operating expenses should cost about \$124,133 as against only \$21,864 spent in 1954-55, the survey reveals.

The per capita cost of public health in Prince Georges county is \$0.58; with the minimum staff proposed by the subcommittee \$1.75 would be needed. The average per capita cost in 1952-53 for all counties in the state was \$1.42. The entire cost of the Health Department budget for 1955-56 is \$232,744; less than half the amount needed to meet the proposed standards.

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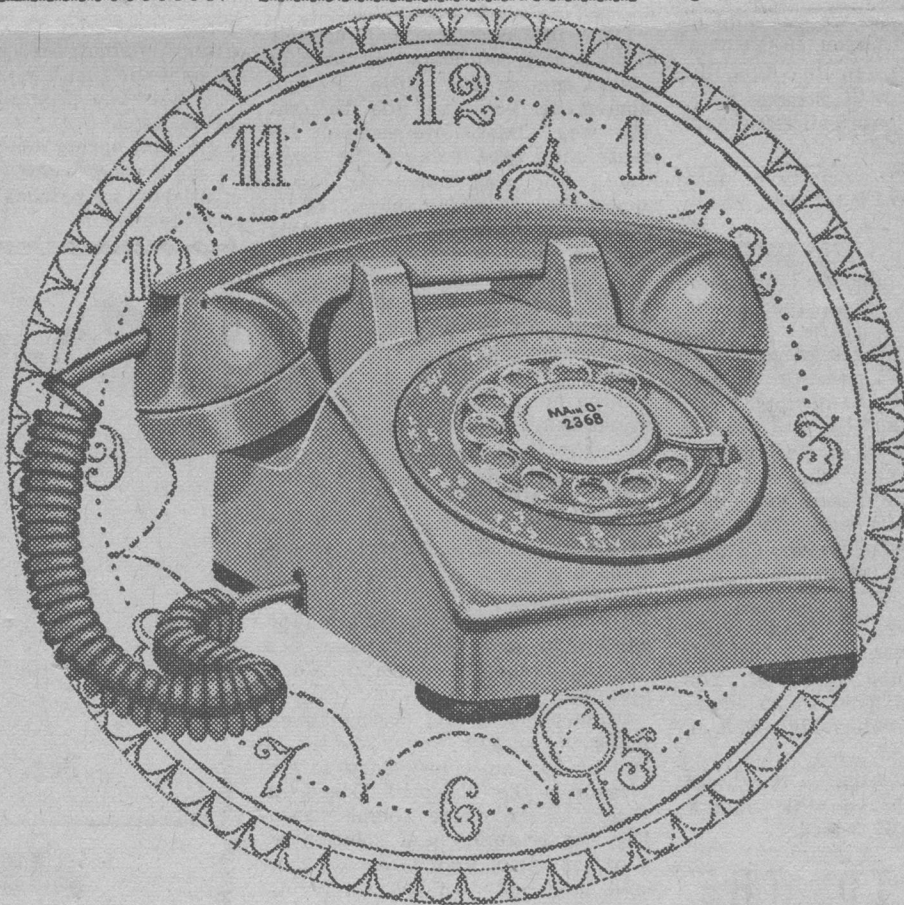
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